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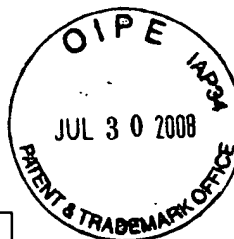
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated April 30, 2008 (the "Office Action"). The shortened statutory period for response is three months from the mailing date, i.e., by July 30, 2008 and, thus, this response is being timely filed. In response to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2008, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record for this application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.